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BUILDING ACTIVE  
AT MARATHON;  
NEW INDUSTRY

Rubber Factory Is Working  
Day and Night—Granite  
Quarry Opened.

Marathon, Tex., Feb. 4.—Situated about half way between San Antonio and El Paso on the G. H. & S. A. railroad, near the center of a beautiful valley, protected on three sides by high mountains from the cold of the north, the nearest railroad point for Ft. Stockton and the mines of the "River Bend country" to the south, with their unknown quantities of zinc, quicksilver, coal and oil wells, is Marathon.

Besides the American mines, the people across the river will ship thousands of tons of zinc ore from this place. Marathon also boasts of having the only rubber factory in the United States. This factory, which is already a giant, is being enlarged to double its capacity. New buildings and machinery are being added and the plant is running day and night.

This rubber is made from a shrub about one or two feet high called guayule. People who a short time ago called it "brush" suddenly found they

had a gold mine. Huge loads of this shrub are coming into town from all directions. Freighters with their little burros make a picture that is seldom seen. The people are preparing the land to cultivate the plants and many have gathered the seed for sowing.

Just north of town, the big "iron mountains" contains the finest grade of granite. The granite is gray and takes a polish like a mirror.

Persons are here to start a factory to make wax from a shrub that resembles the guayule plant. Within the last year the town has doubled in size and the price of property has gone up accordingly. Several new stores, a bank, a newspaper, a telephone system, a fine school building, two churches, and so many new residences have been built that it looks like a new town. There is not an empty house in town and some people are compelled to live in tents.

In the eastern part of this valley, farming is more successfully carried on than anywhere in Brewster county. The farmers are plowing and getting ready to plant a large area to broom corn.

Several fine orchards near here have proved that fruit can be successfully grown here. Last summer, wagons loaded with peaches and apples and vegetables were on the street daily.

**ROSWELL MAN IS CHARGED WITH EMBEZZLEMENT**

Roswell, N. M., Feb. 4.—The stockholders of the Cooperative Supply company's grocery, at the old Webb stand on North Main street have had the manager of the business, J. W. Alvis, arrested on a charge of embezzling \$600 in goods and money.

NEW S. P. LINE IN ARIZONA WILL OPEN  
RICH COUNTRY FOR SETTLEMENT

Railroad Commissioner Says  
the Territory Needs More  
Railroads and More Water  
For Irrigation.

Douglas, Ariz., Feb. 4.—The announcement of the Southern Pacific plans for the construction of the transcontinental main line from San Carlos on through Phoenix to Yuma, provided the territory of Arizona will approve the proposed route through the Box canyon on the Gila river, located as a site for an irrigation dam, has awakened wide interest throughout the great southwest.

**Beauties of Arizona.**

In an interview with railroad commissioner W. P. McCall, regarding the situation in the proposed building of the Arizona Eastern railway through the Box canyon, he said: "There are three things Arizona needs just now more than others—water, more railroads and more water for irrigation purposes. Statehood will be granted during the year 1910 and leaves to the people of the territory the other two. To the transcontinental traveler the views of Arizona as a rule tend to confirm the saying that 'Arizona is the land that God forgot.' This legend is no more substantial than the reflection of the passing country left upon the glass of a Pullman coach.

"The transcontinental line run through the most desolate portions of the territory. Unless a side trip be made the many marvels and beauties of Arizona are never seen, and very few people take advantage of these world's wonders on account of the extra expense. Were it possible for the tourist to see the beauties of the forests in Cochise and other counties, and the farms in the San Pedro and other agricultural sections, the territory itself would advertise its own resources better than could any other agency.

**Change Main Line.**

"It is my understanding that the

construction of the Arizona Eastern railway points to the contemplation of such a result, and with the building of this line every traveler will have an opportunity to realize that God did not forget Arizona, but on the contrary has made it one of the garden spots of His earthly kingdom. The building of the Arizona Eastern railway means more to this territory than can be enumerated in any single interview.

"The changing of a main line means a good deal and in these days of demand for cheaper transportation, when such a change is contemplated, it should be along lines looking toward cheaper operation and more comfort for the traveling public.

"The engineers of the Arizona Eastern have spent much time and money in picking a route with such objects in view. The route through the Box canyon has been selected because it affords easier gradients than those encountered on the old line, and the elimination of the heavy grades between Lordsburg and Mesquite. The objection to this line, and the insistence that what has been termed the 'high line' be used instead, so that a reservoir may be constructed in the Box canyon, is, in the opinion of railway engineers, not a valid one. The 'high line' is almost prohibitive and to operate it would be entirely so.

**Open Rich Country.**

"The construction of the Arizona Eastern railway is of such vital interest to Arizona, that, in my opinion, every encouragement should be given to the enterprise. On the principle of the greatest good to the greatest number, no delay should be thrown in the path of making such a transcontinental line a certainty. The building of that line at the intersection of the proposed service over the Southern Pacific would bring the real Arizona into the vision of the world.

"The proposed main line would herald the opening up and settlement of immense areas of fertile land; the birth of promising towns; the increased population and prosperity of those that already give the territory its prestige, and an increase of wealth and importance which is the dream of every Arizonan that calls the territory his home."

JUDGE RESIGNS  
TO ENTER BANK

W. W. Bogel Succeeds J. P. Shields at Marfa—Baptist to Build Church.

Marfa, Tex., Feb. 4.—County Judge J. P. Shields has resigned his office. County commissioners appointed Judge W. W. Bogel to fill the vacancy. The former's resignation was due to having been appointed cashier of the Marfa state bank.

At a recent meeting of the stockholders of the Marfa National bank, the capital stock of the bank was increased from \$25,000 to \$40,000, and Chas. Kramer was elected assistant cashier.

The Baptists of Marfa will build a church to cost \$3000. Rev. Maurer has raised \$2000 of the amount.

W. A. Minnis made substantial improvements on his residence.

Wilcox & Dill is the name of a new firm of contractors. Mr. Dill recently removed here from Georgetown, Tex.

J. F. Pierce of Hamilton, Texas, has purchased several tracts of the Toole estate. He left Marfa for Presidio.

The Presidio country club has purchased another billiard table for its rooms and is preparing to entertain visitors in first class style.

Al Billingsley, a ranchman near Marfa, is the owner of a new auto.

Geo. Seelig is here from San Elizario, where he has extensive farming interests. He says the farmers in the valley are busy planting wheat.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Roberts of Pecos, Tex., are here en route to Shafter.

Mrs. Lee F. Cartwright is in El Paso visiting her sister, Mrs. M. E. Williams. Messrs. John and Harry Humphries are in east Texas.

Wm. Weber and family are preparing to move to the Ft. Davis country. Judge W. W. Bogel has returned from a trip to Pecos, Texas, and says that work has commenced on the Pecos-Marfa railroad.

John Blakesley of San Antonio is working for the Marfa Mercantile company as bookkeeper.

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BREAK GROUND  
FOR NEW CHURCH

Work Started on New Edifice for Pecos Baptists.

Pecos News.

Pecos, Tex., Feb. 4.—With appropriate ceremony in the presence of a large gathering of representative people, ground was broken for the construction of the new Baptist church at Pecos.

Mr. Cole of the local church conducted the program and immediately upon its completion, the Westernman Construction company began active construction work upon the edifice, which is to cost \$25,000.

The Methodist congregation has purchased from G. B. Landrum, his residence site near the center of the city, and will begin at once the construction of a church.

The consideration for this transfer was \$4000.00, and will give to the denomination one of the most desirable locations for a church in the city.

This will give to Pecos City, three church buildings aggregating in cost about \$65,000 including the Christian church home, which is nearly completed.

W. L. Carville, of Dallas, who is building the Pecos Valley Southern railway, is in the city, in conference with assistant engineer Anderson, of the T. & P. arranging for the location of the connection of the two lines, at Pecos.

The question of a union depot and joint traffic arrangements will be taken up at once by the two companies.

A new incorporation, known as the Music Hall company, has been formed, for the purpose of acquiring the newly constructed music hall, and operating the same for mass meeting, concert, lecture, and church purposes.

Smith is president of the organization, and M. L. Stewart, secretary. The personnel of the directorate for the first year is as follows: W. D. Cowan, B. R. Smith, G. B. Landrum and M. L. Swinehart.

The White Sox baseball team gave an entertainment at the music hall recently, which was attended by several hundred people.

The proceeds from the sale of tickets for this entertainment will be applied to the amount pledged by the ball team, to assist in the construction of the new railroad.

From the inquiries received by M. L. Stewart, president of the Texas irrigation congress, concerning the workings and purposes of that organization, is shown the great interest over the state in this work. It is expected that the next meeting, to be held at Fort Worth, April 5 and 6 will show a membership of over 1000 members, and an active campaign to inform all interested in the betterment of irrigation laws, whether canal company or consumer, is being made to have a large attendance at that meeting.

**VAUGHN, NEW MEXICO.**  
NEWS NOTES AND PERSONALS  
Vaughn, N. M., Feb. 4.—H. L. Bennett, United States inspector of land and timber, is here.

Leonard A. Hordle, W. S. Blewe, J. R. Mourde and Dr. J. W. Eatherton made a trip to Roswell recently in Dr. Eatherton's new auto.

W. Lewis, of Emporia, Kansas, owner of the rock crushing plant, was here recently.

H. R. Hodges and J. C. Kobe have counted their store room and are making arrangements to move in.

J. W. Daniels, of Winslow, Ariz., are here and are thinking of locating.

Mrs. Grant C. Otis entertained at cards Saturday.

**MORMONS ORGANIZE CHURCH IN RAILROAD CAMP**  
Colonía Dublin, Mexico, Feb. 4.—A. V. Ivins is now in Colonía Juárez.

Charles McClellan, one of the Stake presidency, was at the railroad camp recently to effect on organization of the church, so the workers might enjoy services.

George F. Levey, of Chihuahua, is in town.

Ray L. Pratt is very busy arranging the affairs of his father's estate.

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SETTLERS WANT  
RURAL DELIVERY

Douglas Makes Effort to  
Get Aviators—Has One  
of Its Own.

Douglas, Ariz., Feb. 4.—An effort is to be made to have the postoffice department establish free rural delivery for the citizens who have settled in the Sulphur Springs valley, adjacent to Douglas. Petitions have been circulated, and delegate Ralph Cameron has been asked to use his influence in having the service of rural delivery extended to the ranchers and colonists who have taken up government land in the district between this place and Courtland.

Douglas made an effort to interest Paulhan and Glenn Curries in an aviation meet in this city, and the matter is still pending. Meantime, the young inventor and balloon expert, Williams, has all but completed his new aeroplane, and expects to fly by the end of next week. The machine will first be exhibited to a delegation of business men, and a practical test made, probably in the ball park. If the aeroplane and Williams both succeed in getting up and imitating the buzzards of the desert, Douglas will then proceed to have an aviation meet of her own. Special trains will be run from adjacent cities and camps, and the first public exhibition of an Arizona-built machine will be given to the world.

DOUGLAS MAN  
IS FOUND DEAD

Mexican Saves Flour and  
Lets Little Girl Burn  
to Death.

Bisbee, Ariz., Feb. 4.—A telegram from Seattle, Wash., to the secretary of Elks announced that Wm. Latta, aged 45, had been found dead in his room, having committed suicide by turning on the gas. Mr. Latta was well known in Bisbee, where his wife conducted the hotel Royal while he was working as train conductor with the El Paso and Southwestern railroad. He leaves a wife and two daughters who reside in Douglas, Ariz.

The corner's jury, formed to hold an inquest over the death of the little Mexican girl burned to death recently, brought out an instance of the despicable character of a Mexican roomer at the house, destroyed by the fire. It was found out that the fire started in this man's room and that he took care in saving some sacks of flour belonging to his landlady, the little girl to burn. Much indignation and open contempt were expressed at the hearing by all the bystanders.

Numerous ravens and buzzards hovered about the top of the mountain back of Chihuahua Hill, attracting the public attention. Some people at the unusual sight suggested that the remains of a man might be the cause of their hovering up there, but it was ascertained that a huge pile of garbage had been the decoy of the hungry birds.

## RUN DOWN BY TRAIN

Globe, Ariz., Feb. 4.—While attempting to cross the railroad track, Wing Lee, a Chinaman, was run down by the Globe Valley & Northern passenger train. He was thrown violently from the track and severely injured about the head and shoulders. The Chinaman was hurried to the Old Dominion hospital and it is expected he will recover.

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FORT STOCKTON MAY  
GET RAILROAD

Commercial Club Is Now  
Working to Raise Big  
Bonus.

Fort Stockton, Feb. 4.—W. L. Seargent and associates of Fort Worth, Tex., have submitted, through the Fort Stockton Commercial club, a proposition by which they agree to build a railroad from Monahans, Tex., to this place by way of Grandfalls, provided the people raise \$100,000 cash bonus and secure for them right-of-way in Pecos county; also depot and terminal grounds at this place.

The Commercial club took the matter up at its regular meeting recently and committees were appointed to see if they could arrange to meet the terms of the proposition. Those present expressed themselves as being very enthusiastic over the proposition and enough interest was shown by them to make it almost an assured fact that the terms of the proposition will be complied with.

J. W. Oldham, of Kansas City, chief stockholder and general manager for the Fort Stockton Irrigated Land company, whose lands are situated just north of town, is spending a few weeks, personally inspecting the development work now being done on the property.

CLIFTON MAN HELD  
TO GRAND JURY

Ab Hildreth Furnishes \$1000  
Bond—Streets Being  
Improved.

Clifton, Ariz., Feb. 4.—Ab Hildreth, who has been in charge of the Damon transfer, was arrested recently on a charge of embezzlement. Mrs. W. W. Damon issued the complaint. He was bound over to the district court by Judge Menden in the sum of \$1000, which was promptly furnished. Hildreth is a young man, well known in Clifton and Graham county.

North Clifton avenue is being improved by the construction of gutters. Billy Hamilton has charge of the work for the town.

The Standard Oil building on Hill flat is nearing completion. The Texas company has not yet started to build, but its plans have been accepted by the town council.

Wm. Hoff, for the past 10 years foreman of the A. C. company's foundry, has resigned, and leaves Clifton to take his home at Globe, Ariz. He has accepted a position with the newly organized Globe Foundry and Machine company. Mr. Hoff is secretary and treasurer of the new company.

The Dumagan and Baldwin building on Chase Creek is being remodeled. A wide stairway is being built to the second floor, and the lower rooms are being decorated.

Green Hales has started a butcher shop on Hills flat.

COLD WEATHER PREVENTS  
FRUIT TREES BUDDING

Fruit Growers Are Benefited—Revival Meeting Closes at Alpine—Personals and News Notes.

Alpine, Tex., Feb. 4.—Alpine is experiencing another cold spell but it will be a benefit to this section as it will prevent fruit trees from budding out and being killed by late frosts.

Mr. N. Roberts and wife of Pecos City were in Alpine for a few days recently. Judge W. Van Sickle has returned from Austin.

Lee Singleton, formerly of this place, The Baptist revival meeting has closed, there being about 25 new members joining this and other churches.

Rev. Mr. Head, who was conducting the meeting left Pecos City, accompanied by J. C. Bird.

Mrs. Rev. Greenwood has returned from a visit to relatives at Marfa. Will Yarbrough was in town from his ranch recently to get his new auto.

R. D. Shields has returned from a trip to Dickens, Texas.

Ashley Gillett and Birdie Mitchell, of Marfa, were visitors in Alpine recently. J. J. Allen, of Sanderson, was here recently to visit relatives.

## SOLOMONVILLE NEWS.

Solomonville, Ariz., Feb. 4.—Mrs. Jake Weinberger and daughter have returned to Globe after a visit with her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Solomon.

Mrs. T. A. Hayes and daughter, Miss Eunice Hayes, of Altus, Okla., are here visiting Jas. P. and Luther Hayes.

Mrs. L. F. Vaughn and two children accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Frost, arrived from Missouri. Mr. Vaughn is clerk of the board of supervisors.

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